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Docket No. 2000-0702.ORI

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re App : Brian Hawtin Date: February 7, 2003
Serial No. 09/701,140 Art Unit 1619
Filed : November 21, 2000 Exam: Lauren Q. Wells
For : FORMULATION

REQUEST FOR REFUND TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Attn: Refund Section
Financial Accounting Division
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

At the time of filing a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) on December 2, 2002 in the above-entitled patent application, a check in the amount of \$1140.00 was submitted to cover the RCE and Petition for Extension of Time (one month) fees thereon. These papers authorized the Patent and Trademark Office to charge Deposit Account No. 50-0789 for any necessary fees.

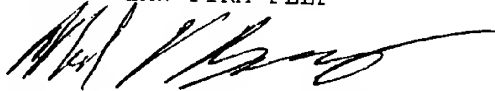
The Patent and Trademark Office both cashed check no. 5553 in the amount of \$1140.00 and charged our Deposit Account No. 50-0789 the same \$1140.00. A copy of the endorsed check is enclosed. As a result, the undersigned respectfully requests that Deposit Account No. 50-0789 be credited in the amount of \$1140.00 in view of the double-payment for the Request for

Continued Examination and Petition for Extension of Time for the
above-identified patent application.

It is hereby requested, and the Commissioner is hereby
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Respectfully submitted,

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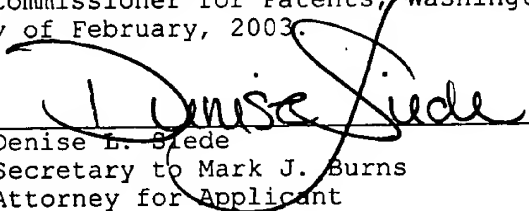


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